Immigrants in the Workplace (2SSB 5497)

1. **Purpose:**

Funding was provided solely to support the activities associated with 2SSB 5497, from the 2019 legislative session. The funding provided in the proviso of \$63,000 for state fiscal year 2020 and \$7,000 for state fiscal year 2021 was to be used for the purpose of reimbursing the Attorney General for their services in advising OSPI on our confidentiality policies.

2. **Description of services provided:**

The proviso appropriated funding to be used to pay legal services provided by the State Attorney General's Office for issues related to this specific bill. As noted in our fiscal note on the bill, OSPI updates policies on an as-needed basis within existing resources. The proviso amount was based on the Attorney General's estimate of potential impact to OSPI. During SFY 21, the Attorney General invoiced OSPI \$5,128 for costs specifically related to 2SSB 5497. These costs were paid out of OSPI's Central Services allocation for AG costs (General Fund-State) and were not charged to the proviso funds.

3. Criteria for receiving services and/or grants:

N/A

Beneficiaries in 2020-21 School Year:

Number of School Districts:0Number of Schools:0Number of Students:0Number of Educators:0Other:0

Number of OSPI staff associated with this funding (FTEs): 0.0

Number of contractors/other staff associated with this funding: 0.0

FY21 Funding: State Appropriation: \$7,000

Federal Appropriation: \$0
Other fund sources: \$0
TOTAL (FY21) \$7,000

4. Are federal or other funds contingent on state funding?

⋈ No

☐ Yes, please explain.

5. **State funding history:**

Fiscal Year	Amount Funded	Actual Expenditures
FY21	\$7,000	\$0
FY20	\$63,000	\$0

6. Number of beneficiaries (e.g., school districts, schools, students, educators, other) history:

N/A

7. Programmatic changes since inception (if any):

None

8. Evaluations of program/major findings:

None.

9. Major challenges faced by the program:

None.

10. Future opportunities:

N/A

11. Statutory and/or budget language:

ESSB 5092 Sec. 1501 (4)(s) - \$63,000 of the general fund -- state appropriation for fiscal year 2020 and \$7,000 of the general fund -- state appropriation for fiscal year 2021 are provided solely for implementation of Engrossed Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5497 (immigrants in the workplace).

12. Other relevant information:

N/A

13. **Schools/districts receiving assistance:**

See OSPI's 2021 Grantee List.

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